

THING TO BOAST OF.

wever, the Condition Could Be Worse Than It Is.

RIKES ARE NOT NUMEROUS.

Song Conditions Seem to Be Considered by Wage Earners as Not Justifying Any Available Controversy at Present.

New York, Feb. 29.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "Want of sufficient demand for the products of great industries still results actual improvement. Strikes of no importance in garment making and kindred lines affect trade in Chicago and Baltimore, but there are fewer or difficulties than usual, as existing unions warn wage earners that conditions at this time are unsafe."

What has advanced 3½ cents for cash is 2½ cents for May. Cotton has

risen with only fair receipts, a price of middling uplands has declined one-sixteenth. The market for the goods is disappointing. The lines are getting an average of about 6 cent more for goods than a year ago, and paying 2½ per cent more for cotton.

Woolen mills are reverting considerately orders for spring goods, but a range for all woolens is scarcely 1 cent higher than a year ago, although wool is more than 7 per cent higher.

The feature in iron has been the largest for wrought and cast pipe at lowest price ever known. Iron averages 2 per cent lower for the reason of the drop in Bessemer Pittsburgh to \$12.50 and in gray forge \$10.75.

Values for the week have been 278 in the United States against 250 last year, and 35 in Canada against 38 last year.

JOHN BARLEYCORN

Incident Features of the Ratios Excise Bill.

MIRANZA, Feb. 29.—In a sensational issue it was shown that the Ratios excise bill was sure of 32 votes in the Senate, which insures its passage by that body.

The principal features of the measure:

Abolition of all local excise boards on April 30, 1896.

Termination of all excise licenses on April 30, next.

Creation of state excise commissioners, at \$500 a month, in 1000 districts, their assistants at \$1,000, \$1,000 and \$1,000, 600 inspectors at large at \$1,000, and expenses for all.

A bureau at Albany with clerical assistance.

First class license for saloons, clubs, hotels at \$500 in New York, \$600 in Boston, \$500 in Buffalo, and so on, cities, and graded according to population in cities.

Gives one third of the net revenues collected to the state, and two thirds to counties.

Allows county treasurers, except in counties containing cities of the first class, fees ranging from 1 per cent to 1 cent; the latter in country districts.

Prohibits all-night licenses and the sale of liquor on Sunday except in cities with meals.

This prohibition extends to clubs.

Fine or violation of law is fixed at not less than twice the amount of license.

Allows local option in towns only, and in cities.

Compels posting of liquor license in window of saloon.

Provides saloons within 200 feet of a school or church.

Allows courts to review applications for license, also petitions for revocation of license.

GREAT CUBAN VICTORY.

One hundred of Butcher Weyler's Cubans have fallen under the machete.

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 29.—Friday's mail from Cuba brought three letters from different sources announcing our forces which are stated in the dispatches below directed to Senator Morgan of Washington by Rafael Portuondo, Cuban secretary of state, who left for Washington Friday night.

In Quarto, seven miles from the port of Havana, on Saturday, Feb. 1, at 9:30, the insurgents retired from the town and at 6 o'clock 300 Spanish soldiers immediately entered, murdering noncombatants to the number of 22, among whom were some Spaniards, children, boys of 15 years and an old man of 72. The violation of young girls was prevented by protest of the Cuban residents.

Fourteen insurgent noncombatants have been taken to Mariando for trial. His news has been confirmed by living witnesses who have just arrived from the scene of the butchery.

The details of the battle at Palo Prieto between Santa Clara and Placencia, about Feb. 20, have arrived. The result is considered more important than the battles of Peralejo, Coloso or Lascares, Keith Sanchez commanded the Cubans and General Palmeiro the Spanish.

The outcome was the greatest triumph of Cubans ever had, the Spanish loss being 500. General Palmeiro was severely wounded and his horse is now in the possession of Quinton Bandera. In her flight many Spaniards threw themselves into the river.

The Spaniards attacked a small detachment of scouts, who soon overtook the main body, and after a short fight a fatal machete charge was made, resulting in hundreds of Spaniards being

beaten to the on-slaught. The severe Spanish losses are attributed greatly to the panic which ensued when "charge with machete" was ordered.

Great enthusiasm prevails here among the Cubans over the announcement that the resolution to recognize them as belligerents was passed by the senate.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

At the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—There was an enthusiastic demonstration in the house when Secretary Cox of the senate, shortly before 4 p.m., appeared and announced the passage by the upper branch of congress of the Cuban resolution, but the matter did not come up in any other form during the day. Afterкусing the unexpected opposition of Mr. Boutwell, the house leaders concluded to postpone taking up the resolution until the legislative hall was disposed of.

The whole day in the house was spent in the consideration of the legislative appropriation bill, and considerable progress was made.

An agreement was reached whereby the bill to reduce the compensation of United States attorneys and marshals from the fee to the salary system is to be offered as an amendment to the bill.

An amendment offered by Mr. Tammey of Ohio, to provide that the members shall have \$600 per month for clerks throughout the year, instead of during the session only, as is now the case, provoked the charge that it was a "wiley grab." Mr. Payne (Rep., N. Y.), who was in the chair, ruled out on a point of order. An attempt was made to overturn the chair, but he was sustained 10 to 15.

Mr. Bailey (Dem., Tex.) raised a point of order against the appropriation of \$500 for private secretary of the president. "The fact," said Mr. Bailey, "makes the salary of \$500 the chair sustained the point and the salary was fixed at the lower figure."

When the committee from the speaker had left the house the president's veto of the bill to lease certain lands in Arizona for educational purposes, Mr. Lacy (Rep., La.) gave notice that he would call the veto message up.

The conference report on the pension appropriation bill was agreed to.

A Lighter Libel.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—United States District Attorney McFarlane has filed a bill in the United States circuit court against the lighter J. S. T. Strandum, upon which the arms and ammunition for the steamer Bermuda expedition were loaded.

Will Investigate the Matter.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—The complaint recently made by citizens of Antelope, Idaho, that the waters of Big Lost river had been turned out on the public lands by a ditch company and created damage to settlers will be inquired into by the government.

He Was Unjustly Convicted.

VAN BUREN, Ark., Feb. 29.—Pratt Turner, colored, was hanged here for the murder of Robert Hawkins, Feb. 17, 1895. He was composed to the last, and in a short speech on the gallows stated that he had been unjustly convicted.

Blackburn in the Lead.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 29.—A special from Frankfort says the senatorial vote resulted as follows: Hunter, 57; Blackburn, 51; Carlisle, 3; McCrory, 2; Langley, 1; Holt, 1; Evans, 1; Lewis, 1; Bates, 1.

Baudou Murderer Hanged.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 29.—John Nolson was hanged at 11 o'clock at Palmyra, this county, for the murder of John Zull and his old mother in August, 1893.

Tried to Kill Moses.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—John Mackin, the murderer of his wife and mother-in-law, tried to kill himself in Jersey City. In searching him at the station, the police encountered a razor which Mackin had concealed somewhere about his person. With this weapon he cut his throat and would have soon bled to death had not a jail attendant heard a gurgle sound, prodding him on the shoulder of his cell. Mackin was removed to the hospital. His recovery is doubtful.

Poor Country for Anarchists.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 29.—The anarchists of the city will soon organize under the leadership of Patric Gori, the Italian anarchist, who was formerly the instigator of President Carnier's assassin, Gori arrived in the city several weeks ago and attracted considerable attention by attending several social events where Prince Luigi, King Humbert's nephew, was a guest.

Opposed to Coast Defenses.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Members of the Central Labor union, sympathizers of organized labor, and others filed the large hall of Cooper union to protest against the proposed expenditure of \$10,000,000 for coast defense as well as more millions for an increased navy. They argued that it would be a menace to organized labor.

KILLED FIVE MEN.

FRANKFORT, W. Va., Feb. 29.—A bullet at the establishment of W. H. Overholser exploded, destroying the house and machinery and killing five men.

Samuel Livesay, Kell Livesay, Woodson Kinsinger, Chester Kinsinger and Mr. Dunbar, and injuring five or six others.

Both Dead.

FOUR WOMEN, Tex., Feb. 29.—At China Springs, Tex., Julian Evans and Henry Wilson, farmers, who had long mired a fowl, fought with Winchester rifles. Both received wounds resulting in death.

1600 An Active Old Man.

MASSILLON, O., Feb. 29.—J. French, 70, who was married a month ago, has been arrested for beating his wife and cruelty to animals.

Lord Lieutenant of Ulster.

LONDONDERRY, Feb. 29.—Lord Dunraven has been gazetted Lord Lieutenant of Londonderry.

The Spaniards attacked a small detachment of scouts, who soon overtook the main body, and after a short fight a fatal machete charge was made, resulting in hundreds of Spaniards being

RAVAGES OF SMALLPOX

Come to the Relief of Armenians at Zeitoun.

A CRY GOES UP FOR FOOD.

Borders Being Sick and Exposed to Severe Weather Without Proper Clothing the Victims Are Also Starving to Death.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—The United States minister to Constantinople, Mr. Terrell, has advised Secretary Olney by cable that the inhabitants of the town of Zeitoun and vicinity are suffering from the ravages of smallpox and other diseases and are in want of food.

He says relief expeditions are fitting out as fast as possible but that progress is necessarily slow and uncertain because the valleys are deep in mud and almost impassable, while the mountains are filled with snow and the weather is unusually cold.

The British vice consul has sent relief to Harroun and the sultan has issued an imperial decree forwarding protection and ordering other facilities for Miss Barton in her work of distributing relief.

Terrell Blames England.

PORT WENTWORTH, Tex., Feb. 29.—United States Minister Terrell writes from Constantinople to his brother, Hon. J. C. Terrell of this city, as follows:

"England has played her card badly; all the masters could have avoided had her policy been different. Besides this, the American press and American congress in abusing the sultan and porte will destroy my influence here."

And then the near missionaries whom I have now protected from the Block to the Capago see continually writing back home abusing the sultan and porte, and their friends in the United States have the letters published and the papers containing them are sent to the government here immediately.

How can I any longer protect such people if the Russian alliance is formed then the worst will be at hand."

CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION.

The Persian Idea of Marriage About to Be Changed.

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 29.—The government has ordered the preparation of a resolution, which will be submitted to congress, providing for the registration of Protestant marriages. This is the result of lengthy diplomatic action in which the United States government and the government of Great Britain have taken part. The Rev. Mr. Wood, head of the missions in Peru, some of whose missionaries belong to the East London mission, and others to the American Field society, has had trouble with the Peruvian officials for a long time past. The exposure of some of his missionaries from Cuzco brought about an exchange of views on the subject between Great Britain and Peru, and the refusal of registration of the marriage of Miss Wood with a Mr. Hazelton was the basis of diplomatic action upon the part of the United States.

The missionary question involved and the marriage question thus brought to the front are regarded as being of great importance by all the Protestants in Peru, and it has been indicated for some time past that they might possibly lead to a change in the Peruvian constitution. But the government appears willing to meet the issue in a friendly spirit, as indicated by its preparation of the resolution previously referred to.

Mr. Wood at one time went among the savages in Perene at the peril of his life, and for a long time considerable anxiety was felt for his return, especially by El Obrero, published in Callao, contained threats against the missionary. Steps to ascertain his whereabouts and provide for his safety were eventually taken at the instance of the United States and Great Britain.

ALMOST UNANIMOUS.

Senate Adopts Belligerency Resolution in Favor of Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—By the overwhelming vote of 64 to 6 the senate adopted a concurrent resolution favorable to Cuban belligerency and independence. The resolutions adopted are as follows:

"Resolved, by the senate (the house of representatives concurring), That in the opinion of congress a condition of public war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaimed and for some time maintained by force of arms by the people of Cuba; and that the United States of America should maintain a strict neutrality between the contending powers, according to each the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States.

"Resolved, That the friendly offices of the United States should be offered by the president to the Spanish government for the recognition of the independence of Cuba."

When the result was announced the densely packed galleries broke into long continued applause, which the president checked with difficulty.

The result was reached after a day of fervid speeches, which at times aroused the crowd of spectators to enthusiasm.

The keen public interest in the subject was evinced by the presence of the largest crowd since congress assembled. The representatives of foreign powers were numerous in attendance. Senor Dupuy de Lomio, the Spanish minister, was not present.

Attached or Detached Collars and Cuffs, at

75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Chinstraps.

Cattle—Fair to best horses, \$3.00 to \$5.

Sheep—\$1.00 to \$1.50.

Goats—\$1.00 to \$1.50.

Pigs—\$1.00 to \$1.50.

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HOME DYES

They are fast, easy to make, beautiful colors with the best.

Reliable Diamond Dyes.

Scores of women in Lima are to wear dresses of fashionable color that would have been thrown away long ago had it not been for Diamond Dyes. With a ten cent package of these simple home dyes, even the novice can dye a fast and beautiful color equal to the work of professional dye house.

Clothes, caps and shawls, readiedly dyed so that a faded garment will look as though it was right from the shop.

Out of the 50 different kinds of Diamond Dyes, 12 are special fast dyes for cotton and mixed goods, but will not crack or fade, even washed in strong soap. All the dyes are made from a pure flavor combination of dyestuffs, and cannot be beat except in the Diamond.

For over twenty years Diamond Dyes have been the standard name and have taken the place of some dyestuffs and unreliable packages dyes in all parts of the world. Their marvelous success has naturally inspired more or less worthless imitations. It is to the trade at least, and which a few unscrupulous dealers urge upon their customers, he out way to this? A reason is our being to use only the Diamond, the strongest fastest, and most lasting of all dyes.

In a Hurry

Young Hopeful (to his sister) — "It'll pass me to better." (in a tone of stern reproof) It was Jonathan.

Johnny (readied to desperation by melody)—If you can reach it—then Life

A Baby's Life Saved

ATLANTA, Ga., May 16, 1894.—Dr. D. Hand—We owe our child's life to Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. When all other remedies and doctors failed to give relief in one hour to me. It is with pleasure that I recommend all of Dr. Hand's remedies for Children. Any mothering them can be sure of getting an article that is safe, effective and reliable. Mrs. C. M. Stutzman's Dr. and Remedies for Child on 25¢ at drug stores.

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should know that FO
LIMA'S HOSPITAL and TAR
naturally the best remedy for all
cases of the Throat, Chest or
Lungs. Doctors are authorized to
use it to give satisfaction in
cases. See J. V. Vorkamp &
Dr. Hartman and Dr. Hartman

Beforehand

He—That old brother of yours is
four bright teeth! He told me
at how he should expect a quarter
I kid you.

She—The wretched Y undid before
my visiting did you do it in ad-
vice—Punk

Samuel Hartman of Indianapolis
has been subject to attack,
call about once a year and would
visit a doctor and then suffer
about twelve hours as much as
one does when they die. He was
recently just the same as at
his times, and concluded to try
Lambertine's Colic Remedy. He says
I took one dose of it and it gave me re-
lief in five minutes. That is more
than anything else has ever done for

For sale by Melville Bros.
at P. O., C. W. Hulbert, 5th Pub-
square.

Statistics show that thousands of
adults and children yearly die of
ubiquitous group. We do not ex-
pect when we state that every
one of these innocents could have
been saved had Toxys Honey and
beer given them in time. Can
afford to be without it in your
usehold? If J. V. Vorkamp on
Main and North Streets

Enquiries.

I have told you of the Spaniard
he always put on his spectacles
so that he could see the cherries that they
ought to be seen and more tempt-
ing.

In this manner I make the most
of my enjoyments, and though I do
lose my eyes away I pack them
as little compass as I can and
try them as conveniently as I can
myself and never let them an-
y others—sophie

Hard Work

Mrs. S.—I'm surprised that your
standards so little if he works
as I am. What does he

do?—The last thing he did
was to calculate how many times a
clock ticked in the course of 1,000
days—London Times Bits.

Dr. Hand's Colic Cure.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 5, 1894.—
Dr. Hand Medicine Co., Philadelphia
—We have used the sample bottle
of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure with
success and find that it does all
it is claimed for it. No praise
is too great for such a truly won-
derful remedy, and we cheerfully re-
commend it to anyone having a baby
in the colic. I remain sincerely
Yours, Ferdinand M. King, 80 Scott
st. Dr. Hand's Remedies for
children sold by all druggists, 25¢

IT IS A GRAVE-YARD

POLICE CHIEF.—A dark threat
is cast over the Woods.

The City Council of Pollock City
has issued a writ of habeas corpus
for a city attorney. This is the
third hearing, to one of the most noted
towns in the west.

When the trial step was up, I
was to stand in the dock, but it was
various with the chief of police
and the city attorney and the attorney
for the defense.

I intended to be the conductor,
and the world twice when I said
that the word men but the defense
had a right to a trial of the case,
which in my opinion was not
the city's to keep, the right and
the male to the jury.

It is the chief's word and the lawyer
actually said the defendant that the
city and the people of the city's
by which he is held, but if so the threat was not
extorted in that manner.

Captain S. C. Morgan, ex-officer of the
United States Cavalry, was sent to Washington
on a secret mission that lasted
eight months during which he
succeeded in getting the interior de-
partment to release Pollock City as the
legitimate town and county seat.

The chief of police, the influence
of the railroad and the telegraph
is to the chief of police to dynamite
the city's 1,000 inhabitants but it
is a lie—(See famous Sept. 18, 1894).
Until only a few houses were left.

Please to give a story to every
corner of the home in the world and
the world around in the way to impress
the residents of the town.

Nothing, I may add, but the town's
and schoolroom, the home of the police
chief of Pollock City, is made good in a few
days since when the council bought the
town site for reconstruction and made the
townsite the residence of the sheriff.

The evacuation of the town by the
chief of police, the war mayor of Pollock City
is a family trying for recognition of
his prediction to reduce Cross to a cem-
etery and which is yet discovered
that it is less human among workers
brokers and bond speculators than it is
among other people.

In this connection I am able to give
some secret history that is very interest-
ing. Some weeks ago the administrator
intended to place this town with Mr.
Morgan and his syndicate and railroads
that would protect the sheriff. Mr. Morgan
was willing to undertake the
task but he declined to pay more
than 10¢. The administration offered
him the whole lot at 10¢ which was
equal to 10 percent interest. Mr. Morgan
persisted despite pressure in ad-
herence to this figure, and then the
president decided upon a public loan
from the hands of certain new papers and
the pockets of senators in congress as
mentioning private loans had nothing
what we do with the president
coming from a private contract to a
public agency here. Mr. Morgan's
refusal to pay 10¢ determined that it
was some satisfaction to the president
to force Morgan to come up with an
offer in the sum of 100 bits of nearly
111 but he would be better satisfied had
he known that the sale at 111 was
going to protect the town and make
a further loan unnecessary before the
president's election.

The newspaper writers who pride of
Pollock City as the favorite financial
center of the administration do not know
what they are talking about. President
Ulysses S. Grant is out of patience with Mr.
Morgan. In his memorandum he says, "I
am the favorite of the administration but it
is John A. Stewart of the United
States Trust company. After the pres-
ident's election Mr. Morgan's term
of 100 bits of nearly 111 Mr. Stewart
will be held to hold and help make the
public in use. He did so and his
power and influence more than those
of no other man is due the success
of his recent election."

And yet Mr. Stewart was outmaneuvered
by Mr. Morgan as a bidder for
the 111 bits. Because Mr. Morgan
had first the students which Mr.
Stewart desired for the purpose
of inuring the town of the use of
with the information on hand it was
easier for him to entice Stewart to
the 111 bits than to buy the
111 bits from Mr. Morgan. The
111 bits were outbid by the
111 bits by Mr. Morgan, and he
had to sell the 111 bits to Mr.
Stewart. Mr. Stewart did not
know that he still had the 111 bits
when he sold them to Mr. Morgan. Last
Wednesday morning, this
banker to establish Lima, now
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FOR MEMBER OF CONGRESS.
We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN H. REEDYMAN as a candidate for nomination for Member of Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention of Allen County, and the Democratic Congressional convention of the Fourth Ohio district.

COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS.
FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
We are authorized to announce the name of T. C. BURNS, of Spencerville township, as a candidate for nomination for Commissioner of Allen County, subject to the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. C. BROWN, of Spencerville township, as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Announcements for all municipal offices will be published in this column for \$2.00 which amount must accompany the order.

FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. S. A. DAXTER as a candidate for

nomination for Mayor of Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy of this city at their primary election.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES H. ADKINS for City Collector, subject to the Democratic primary.

WATER WORKS DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. S. KARNES as a candidate for Water Works Director, subject to the decision of the Democrat primary convention.

FOR CITY CIVIL ENGINEER.

We are requested by a number of persons to announce the name of J. C. CRUMLEY as a candidate for City Civil Engineer, subject to the Democratic Primary.

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of T. W. JOHNS as candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary convention.

FOR COUNCILLOR.

We are requested to announce the name of JOHN H. HUMPHREY as candidate for Councilman from the Fifth ward, subject to the Democratic City Primary.

MANY TAX PAYERS.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HAMILTON as a Democratic candidate for nomination for member of council from the Second ward.

To the Editor Times-Democrat:
You are requested to announce the name of FRANK S. HOGGINS as a candidate for member of council from the Second Ward, subject to the Democratic primary.

By request of many taxpayers,
J. B. JACKMAN.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN H. HUMPHREY as a candidate for Assessor in the First ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy of the ward at their primary.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democracy of Allen County are requested to meet in delegate convention at Assembly room of Court House on the day April 14, 1896, at ten o'clock a.m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices, to be elected next November: State Auditor, County Commissioner, Auditor, Sheriff, Directory and Prosecuting Attorney.

The names of representatives in the County Convention will be one delegate from twenty-five voter fraction over thirteen for James E. Campbell at the November election in 1895, and the apportionment will be as follows:

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A WORD IN YOUR EAR



HOW AND WHEN TO IRRIGATE

Sensible Remarks by a Practical Farmer on a Subject of Water Read Inter-

If we all wait when to irrigate will do good so long upon soil, climate, water crops and many other varying factors it cost so much, half the time can be laid down. P. C. Barker New Mexico, means this quite plain in the irrigation Act. He says:

Take for instance, the first question of whether we shall irrigate by small furrows as in California or on the moist soil irrigating system. I maintain that all depends upon whether the soil is porous or not. Initially or when the soil is the reverse as it is where I live, irrigation is the furrow system will not certain crops while it will not do so either. The best system only found out by experience each to cabin. Then, as to the frequency with which crops should be irrigated, I venture to say that one can do this by any given number of days. Different crops require different treatment, and even the same crop will need more or less water according to the conditions of soil, weather and climate. The only rule one can lay down is that no crop needs water along the soil about the small roots nearest the surface is wet enough to roll up into a ball but the moisture of these small roots are dry enough the plant or tree is sure to suffer.

Sensible him has been done to many orchards whose owners read that in California they did not irrigate during winter and accordingly applied the rule to land which received little or no rain fall in the winter, quite forgetting that the reason why they do not irrigate during winter in California is because it is their rainy season. I have been amazed by reading publications of how many inches of water are needed for irrigating some writers have made regular for such as though it were an engineering problem and having arrived at the exact number of inches required by a crop consider the natural rainfall and think they have the whole matter settled.

Now in the first place the rain may come when it is not needed and again it falls in such small quantities at a time that it readily evaporates and thus do very little good assisting irrigation.

No one can farm successfully without irrigation in those without who do not understand irrigation. Irrigation is well known as a water is needed to keep plants healthy and to give them every advantage of growing. To irrigate a crop you may make a failure by not giving enough water to keep the soil moist and frequently does fail the irrigation much water that the soil becomes waterlogged and deprives the plant of air and deprives it of the air which it needs to grow. Therefore irrigation is the most frequent cause of failure in omission to cultivate the surface of the soil after each irrigation.

Fresh Prepared Manure

The most common opinion is that from 10 to 15 bushels of manure to the acre of the field is sufficient. In the case of a manure that is well rotted and has been well prepared with manure and straw, it is better to take 10 bushels of manure to the acre. This is the best way to irrigate a field.

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Corn Rootworm Larva

Ripening or German insect life has been proved very useful and effective in controlling the various types of insects. The main objection to this is that this has been met by an American nation called Canada that is much cheaper and a far more effective. This is the secret of the New Jersey station which has tested and reported upon both of the compound.

Here and There

An experiment with salivating insects is to be followed at the Michigan station and the method is strongly advocated.

The farmers of California have been experimenting with the new Kafir corn. Nebraska beans and other states are also growing it.

The result of practical tests is that red Kafir corn has been uniformly distributed throughout the state.

One of the most profitable crops that can be grown by the farmer of the northern states, especially in this mid-continent climate is red beans in Indiana.

A Prairie Farmer correspondent makes the statement that white red clover does well crimson clover can rarely be profitably substituted for it.

She Would be a Beauty

Her face wasn't covered with pimples and blotches. How often we hear this expression. This is pity this beauty with an "it" did not go to Yorktown's drug store, n.e. cor. Main and North streets and get a trial (6c) bottle of Foley's Sarsaparilla, which would soon clear her complexion.

Holiday Pills are purely vegetable, carefully prepared from the best ingredients. 25c

Do Not Be This

Do not be induced to buy any other

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HOW DO WE DO IT?

Perhaps some one will tell me for indeed I am a fool.

The next of the titles that I hear where I

There is Brown who is a bad medicine man.

Who's wife is referred to now as Mrs. Brown?

What reason for the name can the wife once give me?

Why does she refer to her as Mrs. Brown M.D.?

Because she is on the bench by the shoulder with a

In Is she a judge of charming wife? There's

Mrs. Jones' O'Sullivan?

Is she a judge by marriage? As she is wedded

To the court?

Is she the Mrs. Jones' son was the

old school boy?

He's a schoolboy, we pray advise me.

What's his name?

Frank J. Jones?

It's Frank J. Jones by all as Mr. Jones J.P.

If not what's his wife's name?

Or Mr. J. P. Jones' wife?

It's Mrs. Jones' wife?

NOTICE.

As we have obtained possession of the lease of the old Postoffice Corner, we wish to notify our patrons and the public generally, though not

By Order of the U. S. Government,

that on March 2d we shall remove from our present quarters to the corner lately occupied by the postoffice, which is now being remodeled for the reception of our first-class drug store

We also wish to express our thanks to the Government for moving, as with our constantly growing business and large stock we are much cramped in our present quarters. Our new and spacious quarters enable us to still further increase our stock and on opening day we shall have on display a fine line of new toilet goods which will captivate the eye

Come in and see the best equipped pharmacy in Lima
Reliable compounding of prescriptions
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TALES OF THE TOWN

The ladies of Grace church will hold an Easter bazaar

Miss Louise Grafton is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs J C Thompson has almost entirely recovered from her several months illness.

The Columbia Literary Club met at the home of Mrs W C Shoe maker, at 130 north Pierce street, last evening

Andy Cunningham, local brakeman on the L E & W, has removed his family here from Fremont and is living at 420 east Second street

Luke Baunister, a colored man, has been notified to appear before the mayor. It is alleged that Baunister has been dumping refuse at the Pierce street bridge

Rev I J Miller has been engaged in a protracted meeting during the week at West Castro and will hold communion services there to morrow morning at 10 o'clock

The ladies of the Current Events Society were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs Chas F Hover, 932 west Wayne street. A hearty lunch was served

Mrs Mary Ann Conkelman, of Rockport, has purchased the Junction House, on Forest avenue from Cornelius McCauliffe. Mrs Conkelman will take charge Monday

G M Peck of Lima, detective for the G, H & D railroad, was in Sidney this morning on his way home from the meeting of the Ohio State Police Officers Association — Sunday, Noce

John Harrison was before the mayor last evening on a charge of assault and battery. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and costs. The party assaulted was a Miss Webster, of east High street

A letter box at Spring and McDonald streets was found open yesterday afternoon, but as the mail had been collected but a few minutes before, it is not thought that anything had been stolen from the box

The funeral services of Miss Josephine Connel took place this morning from St Rose church and were largely attended by the many friends of the deceased. Interment was made in Catholic cemetery

Fencing Master Opera Co., March 2, at Opera House. 40 people in cast. The treat of the season.

YOU MAN HATS

Now on sale at The Mammoth.

Notice

All parties indebted to Ed Wise will call at bank of Goldsmith & Kahl and settle said claims
if Guy Kahl, Assignee

There are 4 large theatres coming to see Fencing Master Opera Co., Monday, March 2. Are you?

Block Silks At a Big Discount this week. Come and see them Treat's, No 209 north Main street

Get your seats for Fencing Master Opera Co. for Monday, March 2

Early Spring styles of neckwear now on sale at The Mammoth.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going

E J Little was in the city to day John Schubert is home from Toledo

Miss Ollie Thomas is visiting in Oxford

E L Bennett, of Spencerville, was in the city to day

Mrs Ed Andrews has returned from a visit in Chicago

Wilbur Fisk was at the Celina reservoir hunting, yesterday

Mrs Fred Palmer, of Ypsilanti, Mich., will be the guest of Miss Allie Dutty

R O Bigley is home from Cincinnati, where he attended the Scottish Rite meeting

Miss Anna Risk is entertaining as her guests Mr Ben Thomas and Miss Clara Poing, of Ada

Miss Edna Pease returned to her home in Columbus Grove this morning after a visit in this city

Mrs George Wolfe and children, of Forest avenue, left to day for Huron to spend Sunday with her parents

Miss Lizzie Weaver, of 415 north Elizabeth street, left this morning for a visit with friends in Mendon

J L Berry and daughter, of Ada, are here to spend Sunday with his sister, Mrs G B Anspach, of Hughes avenue

Mrs W S Marshall has returned to her home in Madison, Wis., after a visit with her mother, Mrs R T Hughes

Ol Baker, of the Lima House, went to Findlay this morning to attend the funeral of his wife's mother, Mrs Storrs

Mrs Frances Panchard, of McCarryville is the guest of Mr and Mrs John B Kelly, of 573 north McDonald street

George Whitmore, of Bellefontaine, has come to Lima to make his home with his aunt, Mrs O S Dixon of Second street

Mr and Mrs A G Laport and daughter, of Ada, are the guests of her brother G B Anspach, and wife, of Hughes avenue

Miss Rose Cunningham, of Fremont, is the guest of her brother, Andrew Cunningham, and family, of 120 east Second street

Mrs Chas Mersten and Miss Hat tie Baker, of Warren, Ind., are the guests of conductor and Mrs Ed Andrews, at 321 north McDonald street

E G Gooding has returned from Wayne where he has been taking a course of treatment for rheumatism at the sanatorium at that place

Miss Millie Fairchild, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs B F Showalter, of Second street, for the past three months, left for a visit with another sister in Butler, Ind., before returning to her home in Valparaiso, Ind

The nobbiest and newest patterns in colored shirts for early spring wear now on sale at The Mammoth.

If you are looking for something nobbiest in colored shirts, neckwear and hats, be sure and take a peep in our big corner window.

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Dr Humston, of Kentucky, the rupture specialist, will be in his office, Tigner block, Wednesday, March 4th

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W I Keifer, of Findlay, S F

FAUROT TALKS

Regarding the Absorption of the C, L & M Road

No Bars Pollasky Nor Anyone Else Can Get the Road without His Consent

The TIMES DEMOCRAT yesterday published an account of the proposed building of the C, L & M road by another company

A representative of the Adrian, Mich., Times was in the city the fore part of the present week and had the following interview with Mr Faurot in reference to the matter

Then Mr Faurot went on to say that Mr Pollasky or any one else could not have the roadbed if they wanted it

"The Lima Northern people tried to get it from me," added the gentleman, "by attempting to turn the five year law to their advantage, but I knocked them out in the courts, and I am now almost ready to iron that roadbed, and continue the line to Saginaw, Michigan, as was the original intention. The C, L & M is not dead. It is like Rip Van Winkle merely sleeping. If you people in Adrian want a good north and south road, I should advise you to wait for mine, and not give \$30,000 to such a line as the Lima Northern."

"I've got half a million in the C, L & M," went on Mr Faurot, "and I propose to work it out. I expect to complete the road to Demarest within the next five months. The route from that city north has only been determined upon as far as Bryan. From there the road will go to Allen and Saugatuck, but over just what route I could not say. If Adrian makes it to our interest to come there, why, we'll come, that's all. The prospects are fair for building a greater portion of the road this year."

When Mr Faurot was asked if it were not true that the property was in the hands of a receiver in Cleveland, and that some arrangement might have been made there, he replied that J W Rittman, of that city, was holding the property in trust but could nothing without his (Faurot's) consent.

Marcus Pollasky arrived in the city from Cleveland this morning. On being seen by a Times reporter and informed of the somewhat contradictory statement which Mr Faurot made, the perennial smile illuminating the genial gentleman's face did not disappear, but simply broadened. "Mr Faurot will be advised to day of the arrangement which the Cleveland trustees have made," he added with some show of pride in the security of his position. "He practically has no say in the matter the trustees being invested with absolute power of attorney."

LOSES AN EYE.

Ex-Policeman Kennedy Injured at the Steel Works

Ex-policeman John B Kennedy met with a serious accident, late yesterday afternoon, at the steel works, where he has been employed for several weeks. He was at work in the machinery department and was accidentally hit in the right eye with a piece of steel. The injury is a serious one, and Drs Rudy and Steuber, who were summoned, at first feared the injured eye would have to be removed. The operation was to have been performed to day, but Mr Kennedy thinks there is no steel in the eye and does not want the operation performed unless it becomes absolutely necessary, so it was postponed.

DANIEL RYAN'S FUNERAL

Was Attended by a Number of Lima People

Daniel Ryan, the late roadmaster of the Big Four, who was buried at his home in Dayton, last Tuesday, was well known in this city. The following relatives from Lima attended the obsequies: Patrick O'Neill and daughter Miss Nora, Mrs J Callahan and daughter Miss Jo, Mrs James Pearl and daughters Miss Maggie and Mrs Amos Brown. Mr Ryan's son who has been his assistant, was appointed roadmaster to fill the place of his father.

STREET TALK

Employees of the L E & W are circulating petitions remonstrating against the passage of the two cent a mile passenger fare bill. The petition sets forth that if the fare is cut to two cents a mile, the passenger receipts will show a falling off and the employees of the road will have to stand a cut in their wages. The company is certainly in small business compelling employees to circulate such a petition — Fremont News

Gloom is cast o'er the lot of the school boy who rejoices on holidays. He has discovered that not only Washington's birthday, but Decoration Day and 4th of July fall on Saturday. Two of these make him lose days off and even the Fourth he would rather have on some other day

Yesterday afternoon the North Western Ohio agents for the Ohio Farmer's Insurance company met at the Lima House yesterday afternoon for a social time. The following agents were present:

Long, of Weston, H M Stutenroder of Kenton, W Z Zoller, of Ottawa, C A L Purmort, of Van Wert, E D Wallace and G I Wallace, of Lima, and L M Studevant, of Sidney

And the Beats They Will Patrol During the Month of March

At 11:30 o'clock to night the city patrolmen will be assigned to their respective beats for the month of March, as follows:

Day force—Croy, north of Wayne, Vena, Wayne to river, Lehman, south side

Night force—Ulrich and Blair, north of Wayne, Wingate, Wayne to High, east of Main, Riley, High to river, east of Main, Fury, Wayne to river, west of Main, Baker and Watts, south side

CONVENTION SUNDAY

Will Be Observed at the Y M C A To-morrow

At 3:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon Prof Carl Ackerman, President of Lima College, will address the young men's meeting in the Y M C A hall, and Mr Curtis Harter, a student of the College will sing a solo. This Sunday will be known as Convention Sunday, as delegates who attended the recent State convention at Mansfield will mention some thing with which they were impressed while there as being of help to the Lima Association.

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